Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application; please amend the claims as follows:

- (Withdrawn Previously Presented) A method for protecting industrial materials
 from attack and/or destruction by insects comprising:
 applying the composition according to Claim 23 to an industrial material.
- (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the industrial material comprises wood, wood composites, timber products and/or plastics.
- 3-9. (Cancelled)
- 10. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is applied to the industrial material in an amount so that the industrial material comprises the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) in an amount ranging from 0.00001 to 20 percent by weight based on the weight of the industrial material.
- 11. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 10, wherein the amount of the composition is applied to the industrial material in an amount so that the industrial material comprises the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) in an amount ranging from 0.0005 to 0.1 percent by weight based on the weight of the industrial material.

- 12. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the amount of the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) is present in an amount ranging from 50 to 100 percent by weight based on the total weight of the composition.
- 13. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) An industrial material comprising the composition according to Claim 23.
- 14. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The industrial material according to Claim13, wherein the industrial material comprises wood, wood composites, timber products, and/or plastics.
- 15. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The industrial material according to Claim 13, wherein the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) is present in an amount of from 0.00001 to 20 percent by weight based on the weight of the industrial material.
- 16. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The material according to Claim 13, wherein the amount of the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) present in the composition ranges from 50 to 100 percent by weight based on the total weight of the composition.
- 17. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The industrial material according to Claim13, wherein the composition comprises one or more additional compoundscomprising a fungicide and/or an insecticide.

- 18. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises additional compounds comprising a fungicide and/or an insecticide.
- 19. (Withdrawn Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 18, wherein the composition comprises the insecticidally active compound of formula (I) in an amount ranging from 50 to 100 percent by weight based on the total weight of the composition.

20-22. (Cancelled)

23. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising:

an insecticidally active compound according to formula (I)

$$N$$
 N S $(I),$

metal salts thereof, and/or acid addition compounds thereof; and

as further fungicidally active compound of said composition, at least one quaternary ammonium compound selected from the group consisting of benzalkonium chloride, benzyldimethyltetradecylammonium chloride, benzyldimethyl-dodecylammonium chloride, dichlorobenzyldimethylalkylammonium chloride, dioctyldimethylammonium chloride, and N-hexadecyltrimethylammonium chloride

wherein there is a synergistic ratio of about 1 to 48 of insecticidally active compound according to formula (I) to the <u>benzalkonium chloride</u>, and <u>at least</u> one quaternary ammonium compound

wherein the benzalkonium chloride is present in an amount ranging from 0.01 to 40% by weight based on the weight of the composition.

- 24. (Canceled)
- 25. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising:

an insecticidally active compound according to formula (I)

$$N$$
—CN N —CN N —CN N —S N —CN

metal salts thereof, and/or acid addition compounds thereof; and

as further insecticidally active compound of said composition, at least one boron compound selected from the group consisting of a boric ester and borax,

wherein there is a synergistic ratio of about 1 to 50 of insecticidally active compound according to formula (I) to the at least one boron compound,

wherein the at least one boron compound is present in an amount ranging from 0.01 to 40% by weight based on the weight of the composition.

26. (Canceled)

27. (Currently Amended) A composition comprising:

a synergistic combination of an insecticidally active compound according to formula (I)

$$N$$
-CN N -CN

metal salts thereof, and/or acid addition compounds thereof; and

as further insecticidally active compound, boric acid,

wherein there is a synergistic ratio of about 1 to 50 of insecticidally active compound according to formula (I) to boric acid, and

wherein the boric acid is present in an amount ranging from 0.01 to 40% by weight based on the weight of the composition.